"The South 40" by JAMES A. SMITH EXTENSION AGENT

Winter came in on December 21 and dropped temperatures to the lowest point this winter. With low temperatures in mind let's talk about cold weather and some of the things associated with this time year.

Shrubs, especially newly planted shrubs, will benefit from the application of an antitranspirant now. This material sold under several trade names will protect the plant from drying wind.

Ice and snow on sidewalks and driveways can be made safe by using salt or sand. Be careful with salt--it can be harmful to shrubs and grass.

So you like your fireplace! Do you know that usually they are very inefficient? If you are burning wood to save on fuel costs, a cord of wood must cost less than these figures: oil at .42 per gallon = $8.70 a cord; gas at $3.00 per 1000 cu ft. = $7.50 per cord; coal at $50.00 per ton = $7.68 per cord; electric at .03 per KWH = $17.57 per cord; electric at .04 per KWH = $23.43 per cord.

It's good to remember that a pickup load of wood is about 1/2 - 3/4 cord.

A cord of dried hardwood weighs about 2 tons and measures 4 ft. x 4ft. x 8ft. or 128 cubic feet.

Stopping on slippery streets can be accomplished more safely by shifting to lower gear before applying brakes.

Pure antifreeze will freeze at 8 degrees F. A 50 percent solution will freeze at about -50 degrees F. Follow manufacturer's directions.

Some people know that to prevent freezing of tractor tire ballast it is nec essary to add calcium chloride. Again use only recommended amounts. More than 30 per cent by weight will cause salt to participate, thus raising the freezing point.

Early in 1977 there will be one young Appomattox Farmer attending the Farm Management Institute at Virginia Tech. This is Steve Neville who came here this summer from New Jersey and plans to open a hog operation.

The Institute is limited to 30 people and we're pleased that one person from Appomattox County could be among this group.

Coming up next month will be an evening and day pesticide training program for private applicators. Letters concerning these programs were mailed out earlier this week. If you did not get one and plan to participate, please call.

Federal law requires that those purchasing restricted use pesticides after October 21, 1977 must be certified.

Home gardners should not plan to participate in this program as there will be ample non-restricted-use pesticides to use in the home garden.

We hope to complete the training of Appomattox farmers this winter. It may be necessary to schedule additional training programs if the number for the two in January is too great. Last winter 105 farmers were trained.

We thought you should know...

that in the area of medical malpractice suits, in one state, ten times as many million-dollar awards have been made since 1970 than in all the years before. The growing volume of such suits is adding more than $3 billion to the nation's annual cost of health care, according to HEW.

What's the point? The point is, this is just one of the many circumstances helping to push the cost of insurance beyond the reach of many.

You can help by talking to your neighbors and friends, writing your representatives in government and contacting your insurance commissioner. Or, by talking to us.

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There have been many changes in the federal tax law. To help you with these changes, copies of the Farmers Tax Guide are available from this office. We also plan to place copies at all of the banks.

Farm record books are also available from the County Extension Office.

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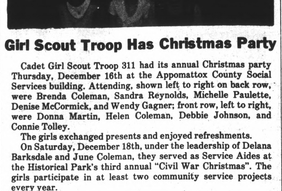
Girl Scout Troop Has Christmas Party



Cadet Girl Scout Troop 311 had its annual Christmas party Thursday, December 16th at the Appomattox County Social Services building. Attending, shown left to right on back row, were Brenda Coleman, Sandra Reynolds, Michelle Paulette, Denise McCormick, and Wendy Gagner; front row, left to right, were Donna Martin, Helen Coleman, Debbie Johnson, and Connie Tolley.

The girls exchanged presents and enjoyed refreshments.

On Saturday, December 18th, under the leadership of Delana Barksdale and June Coleman, they served as Service Aides at the Historical Park's third annual "Civil War Christmas". The girls participate in at least two community service projects every year.

HOLLYWOOD

Rev. Paul Balthasar brought a wonderful Christmas message "Jesus, Wonderful Baby, Lord" to us at Hollywood Sunday. The special music by Rev. and Mrs. Balthasar was enjoyed very much.

We were very sorry to hear of the death of Mr. Joe Bana of Bedford last week. Much sympathy is extended to his wife and other loved ones.

We were sorry to hear Kenneth Wingfield of Roanoke had to have a knee operation last week. We wish him a speedy recovery. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and Julia visited him Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wingfield for dinner.

We are very sorry to hear of the illness of Mrs. L. H. Watson, Sr., sister of Mrs. P. C. Nichols and niece Mrs. Gray Snow of Halifax. We pray they may soon be well.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Almond had all their children for dinner Christmas night.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall and Lisa spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Coffey and family of Covington.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hanenkrat and Mrs. Joe Baldwin of Richmond were dinner guests of Mrs. M. L. Covington Christmas day. They called in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanenkrat in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson Jr. and family of Alexandria were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson Sr. for Christmas.

Those visiting Mrs. Mary Bagby Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. James Almond and family of Danville, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Almond, & Mr. and Mrs. James Woodall. Others visiting in this home last week were Rev. W. H. Elder, Mrs. Kenneth Deaner and girls and Mr. and Mrs. James Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Baldwin, Mrs. Ingram Arthur and Mr. H. W. Jenkins spent Sunday with Mr. Kenneth Baldwin of Ashland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Woodson, Mr. J. H. Webb and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sheets were dinner guests Christmas day of the L. L. Webbs.

Mr. and Mrs. James Maxwell were among others who were dinner guests of Mrs. Margaret Mann Christmas day.

Dinner guests Christmas day of Mrs. H. W. Jenkins were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jenkins and Cnythia, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Twyman Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. Ingram Arthur and Miss Arthur.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Goin & family were Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sheets, Mr. H. W. Jenkins, Mr. J. H. Webb, Mrs. Patricia Webb & children, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Webb, Mr. Allen Webb and Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and Julia and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson, William and April were supper guests of Mrs. Mary Bagby Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson, William and April were supper guests in this home on Thursday night.

Mrs. Ioan Mayberry and Mr. and Mrs. Ryland Mayberry of Newport News were week-end guests Christmas in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Roy St. John of Charlotte Court House and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Deaner and family of Appomattox.

Mrs. Vara Robertson of Lovingston is spending the Christmas holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Webb and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman & Mrs. W. T. Covington were breakfast guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Smith & family Christmas morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Torrence had all their children and grand children for Sunday dinner guests.

Mrs. Mary Bagby was a dinner guest Sunday of Mrs. M. L. Covington.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman for Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hanenkrat of Richmond, Mrs. W. T. Covington, Mr. and Mrs. Orie Millener and Calvin Smith. Visitors last week in this home were Mrs. James Conner and Russell Chernault.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Webb and family were dinner guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. David Repass and family and Mrs. Thelma Martin and family during Christmas

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall and Lisa were breakfast guests of the W. H. Wingfields Christmas. Dinner guests in this home were Mrs. W. T. Covington, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson and family & Mary Bagby.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield and Julia visited Mr. and Mrs. Scott Sheets Sunday night.

Supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Watson and family Friday were Mr. and Mrs. Willie Watson and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wingfield & Julia.

Supper guests of Mrs. Mary Bagby Friday night were Rev. and Mrs. Paul Balthasar and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Woodall & Lisa, Debbie & Scott Woodall.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Franklin & family were among others for dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McFall and family of Lynchburg. they visited their mother Mrs. Mattie Franklin in the hospital in the afternoon. We pray Mrs. Franklin will soon be better.

May each of us let this be our wish for the New Year.

Let Peace encircle all the world

Let's all walk hand in hand
A living bond of Brotherhood
A light from land to land.

BECKHAM

Beckham - Dec. 27 - Mr. and Mrs. Larry Stallings and girls of Belvedere, North Carolina are spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Moore and Timmy Moore.

Mr. Tom Schmutz will return home today from Cleveland, Ohio where he attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Betty Schmutz on Friday. We extend sympathy to him and his family.

Miss Nancy Moore of Richmond spent the holidays with Mrs. H. C. Moore and Mrs. Tom Schmutz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Moore, Jr. and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Martin were among others for dinner Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Moore and Miss Sue Moore.

Mr. Warren Crews is a patient in Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mrs. Josephine Duncan and family of Martinsville are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howlett Drinkard, Donald Lee and Miss Eunice Martin. Members of the family and relatives were Christmas day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Martin.

On Christmas day a dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howlett Drinkard. Donald Lee and Miss Eunice Martin with members of the family, friends, and relatives. There was also an exchange of Christmas gifts.

Mrs. Gertrude Burge visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morris and family and Mrs. S. G. Martin Sunday afternoon.

Ronnie Morris was guest speaker at Rocks Baptist Church Sunday night. Several members of Trinity Church were present for the service. Afterwards were invited to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Morris, Susan and Amy for refreshments.

Mr. Alfred Moore motored to Richmond Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Parsons to visit Mrs. Bradley Wingfield who is a patient in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Martin were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Moore and girls. They were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Martin and boys.

We extend to each of you a very Happy New Year.

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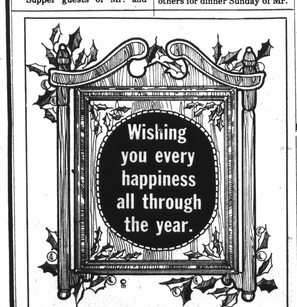

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Special Service at Promise Land Sunday, Jan. 2

Brother R. Q. Lawing, Jr. will preach at the Promiseland Church this Sunday evening at 3 p.m. The program is sponsored for the benefit of the building fund of the church. Special music will be furnished by the Mount Zion Church Male chorus. The general public is asked to come to this special service.

The annual Church meeting of the Galilee Baptist Church will be held this Saturday evening at 7 P.M. All officers and members are asked to be present.

Impressive services were held at the Promise Land Baptist Church Sunday at 11 a.m. The pastor delivered a special message on the theme: "The Day after Christmas". Beautiful music was rendered by the senior choir. R. Q. Lawing, Jr. assisted in the service. A large number of visitors and home comers were present. At the close of the worship, deacon Stewart Robinson, presented the pastor a love offering on behalf of the officers, members and friends of the church. The pastor gave thanks to all present and wished for all a continued Merry Christmas and a healthy, happy and prosperous New Year.

The general public is cordially invited to attend the regular preaching service at the Galilee Baptist Church this Sunday morning at 11 a.m.

The regular evening service was enjoyed last Sunday at 7 P.M. at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church. The pastor delivered a beautiful message on the theme: "The group around the candle". The junior choir rendered beautiful music.

The executive council of the Appomattox Assembly will hold its regular meeting at the Galilee Baptist Church on Wednesday, January 5, 1977 at 7:30 P.M. All representatives are asked to come out.

The Spout Spring community was saddened to hear of the death of Mrs. Nancy Doss Owens of Brooklyn, New York. Funeral services will be conducted from her home church, the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church this Thursday at 2 P.M. Relatives and freinds are asked to share with the family. Friends will be received at the home of Mr. Charley W. and Mr. Charlie Ed Tanner.

The Zion Baptist Church School held its Christmas program last Sunday morning at ll o'clock with Mrs. Rebecca Ferguson serving as mistress of ceremony. The following was enjoyed by all: Opening selection by the Youth choir with Miss Sybill Franklin serving as pianist; Scripture reading, Mrs. Ferguson; Prayer, Deacon Frank Johnson A presentation by each class; A solo by Miss Debby Hankins; Offering, Deacons Robert Jennings and "Buck" Ferguson; Presentations of gifts and fruit bags to all the children; Special gifts were presented to Rev. and Mrs. Hankins; A musical selection given by Mr. & Mrs. Allen. The final remarks were given by pastor Hankins. Rev. Lacey Allen and wife and Mr. Joe Johnson of Baltimore, Md., and New York respectively spent part of the holiday here with their parents, Deacon and Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Mrs. Susie Hunter and daughter Barbara were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Canada Sunday. They also visited in the home of Mrs. Hunter's sister, Mrs. Florence White of Concord, Va.

Mrs. Barbara Radcliff is happy to have her father and cousin of Philadelphia to spend part of the holiday season with her.

The general public is cordially invited to worship at the Zion Baptist Church this Sunday at 11 a.m.

We take this opportunity to wish all a Happy New Year.

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Campbell County History Prepared By Historical Committee

With each passing year, more and more of our past is forgotten as time dulls the memories and retelling fades the stories from our frontier past. In an effort to make the Bicentennial more meaningful, the Historical Committee of the Campbell County Bicentennial Commission has prepared a history of the county.

"Lest It Be Forgotten, A Scrapbook of Campbell County" has been written to preserve the spirit of and rekindle a faith in the accomplishments of the men and women who braved the perils of the Virginia frontier and who developed the county and the entire region.

The book was written by descendants of those pioneers. It contains the flavor of the tales and stories that have been passed on through the generations, but it has been researched to insure accuracy.

The people of Campbell County have written about the men and ideas that flourished in the county and on which the county flourished.

While the book contains details of the American Revolution and other great events and men in the county's history, it also contains the story of the average men and women whose work and dedication formed the foundation for the county's growth.

Situated in the Virginia Piedmont between the James and Staunton (Roanoke) rivers, the history of Campbell County offers more than the history of one of Virginia's 96 counties. Because of its location, Campbell County shares much with other parts of the state and it shares its history with other parts of the state.

The northwestern part of the county is closely akin to the mountain counties of the Commonwealth. A history of this region and of the men and women who settled it also is a history of the entire eastern slope of the Blue Ridge.

The southern portion of Campbell County is part of Southside where tobacco has reigned as king. In the history of that portion of the county is told much of the history of all Southside.

Similarly, the rivers that rim the county also divided it. Campbell County's northern half is definitely part of the James River country. In "Lest It Be Forgotten", the history of James River County is told. The history of the Staunton River region tells much about the early days all along the river.

"Lest It Be Forgotten", published by the Altavista Printing Co., is available for $5, no tax, from Fred Huber, Rustburg, Va. 24588.

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FILM - "A MAN & HIS MEN"
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REFRESHMENTS FELLOWSHIP

New Year's Eve will be a special night for Liberty Baptist. Rev. Clinton Brooks of Union Hill Baptist Church will present special Christian object lessons by use of magic. He is tremendous! We will show the film "A Man and His Men."

THE MAN - Tom Landry occupation, head coach.

HIS MEN - The Dallas Cowboys, one of the most exciting and competitive teams in professional football.

The film takes a penetrating look at a Christian coach and the impact of his life on other people. It talks about faith. It exhibits works and gives men, young and old, a classic example of what being a Christian really is.

What a tremendous way for Christians to spend New Year's Eve. Come and stay for as much as you wish.

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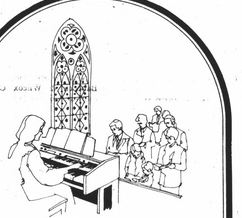
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Cub Scouts Go Caroling

Cub Scouts of Pack 546, Den 4 and their leaders went out Christmas Caroling on December 21st.

Taking part in the caroling were Hazel Mayberry, leader; Brenda Thompson, assistant leader; Michael Carter, den chief; Bobby Hart and Cleve Jones (not present for picture), Donald Martin, Michael Hansen, and Leon Watkins.

They visited Mr. and Mrs. Nowlin E. Mayberry of Spout Spring where they were served Kool aid and cookies, Mr. and Mrs. Haven B. Fields, Jr. of Appomattox; and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sykes of Spout Spring. They also carried a fruit basket to Mr. and Mrs. Sykes.

After the caroling, they returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evan Thompson for scout Christmas party and exchanged gifts.

Area Student In Bluefield College Play

Suzanne Kanipe, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Kanipe of Appomattox, Va., will be part of the upcoming Bluefield College Theatre production of the children's theatre classic "Jack and the Beanstalk".

Miss Kanipe a business junior at Bluefield College, will play the role of the Harp in the production.

"Jack and the Beanstalk" plays in Harmon Auditorium at 4 p.m. Fri., Jan. 28 and at 2 p.m. Saturday and Sunday, Jan. 29 and 30. Tickets will be general admission at $1 for the play, aimed at young people aged six through twelve.

Bluefield College is a liberal arts college offering two-year and four-year degree programs on the campus in Bluefield, Va.

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Pamplin Ruritans Install New Officers

At their December meeting, the Pamplin Ruritans installed officers, appointed committees and set a few objectives for the coming year.

The following elected officers were installed by R. E. McClenny, Sr.: President - Horace Coleman, Vice President - J. M. Cobb, Secretary - Frank Sweet, Treasurer - H. Earl Covington. Also, Directors Jimmy Rosser, Donald Baldwin and Richard Williams were installed. Past President, Wilson Harvey will also serve on the Board of Directors with the other elected officers.

Horace Coleman assumed the presidency and appointed Doug Hager Chaplin, Ed Harvey - Song Leader, Bobby McClenny - Reporter, and Roy Lucado - Sgt. At Arms. He, also, appointed "Major" Wallis - Program Chairman, Richard Williams - Fellowship Committee Chairman, Ryland Womack Finance and Projects Chairman and Ralph Inge - Membership Committee Chairman. Also, appointed were Jimmy Rosser - Meals Chairman, Conard Seymour - Community Service Chairman and Donald Baldwin - Scout Committee Chairman. Jim Williams is appointed Chairman of Pamplin Community Center, Inc. J. C. Cobb, Bobby McClenny, Gilmer Young and Wilson Harvey are also Directors of the Community Center.

The main project for the coming year will be to grade the ball field, get the field seeded, fenced and ready for play. Several thousand dollars must be raised during the year to keep the project on schedule. Contributions to the Community Center may be made to Pamplin Community Center, Inc. H. Earl Covington, Rt. 1, Pamplin is Treasurer of the Community Center.

Pamplin Ruritans meet each fourth Tuesday evening. Anyone interested in becoming a member should contact Ralph Inge, Membership Chairman.

Historical Society Held December Meeting

The Appomattox County Historical Society met at the Appomattox Middle School December 13, 1976.

Dr. and Mrs. Potter reviewed a book they have recently had published entitled Lynchburg..."The Most Interesting Spot". The title is a quotation from a letter written by Thomas Jefferson now in the University of Virginia collection.

The reveiw was most informative and entertaining.

United Daughters Of Confederacy Meeting

The Appomattox Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy met on Thurs., Dec. 16th at 7:30 p.m. at Farmers National Bank, Triangle Place Branch.

There were eight members in attendance.

Mrs. Harriet Cunningham, president, presided leading the group in pledges to the United States Flag and salutes to the Virginia Flag and to the Confederate Flag. She also read the ritual. Prayer was by Mrs. Tilden Lee.

Mrs. Cunningham read a letter from the National Park Service with an invitation for members to attend the "Spirit of Peace" on Dec. 20th from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Prior to the meeting a memorial service was held in memory of two of our deceased members: Mrs. Pearl Marshall, and Mrs. Ethel Childers (real daughter).

A historical book will be placed in the Appomattox County Library in their memory.

A notice has been sent to the UDC magazine of their deaths.

Mrs. Louise Plunkett was appointed as chairman of the Confederate Cemetery Committee.

Chapter members were asked to write down inscription and note the place of any old Confederate markers or monuments seen in their travels.

Four baskets of fruit was sent to shut-in members.

Mrs. Lucille Ferrell, chapter historian, gave an interesting talk using as her topic "Confederacy In Song and Poem".

On January 20th members will attend the Lee, Jackson, Maury dinner to be held at Maude's Restaurant.

Mrs. Tilden Lee,
UDC Publicity Chairman

Veterans Of Foreign Wars Remembered Elderly At Christmas

Appomattox Memorial Post 10297, Veterans of Foreign Wars prepared Christmas baskets for the elderly in the Pine View Rest Home, Hickory Grove Nursing Home, Martin's Nursing Home and more than a hundred and fifty in the community.

Membes taking part in this project included Quarter Master, Robert G. Fleshman; Chester Pettigrew; Willis Hamlett; Canteen Master, James C. Williams; and Post Commander Charles E. Tanner.

These men who have worked to serve their country are still working to serve the people in their community.

B & W Receives $190.5 Million In ERDA Contracts

NEW YORK, Dec. 22 - The Babcock & Wilcox Company announced today it has received contract awards totaling $190.5 million from the Energy Research and Development Administration.

B&W said the orders include work on existing contracts for construction of components for the Navy's nuclear propulsion program. Currently included among the nuclear powered ships in the Navy are submarines, aircraft carriers, and cruisers.

The work will be performed at the company's Naval Nuclear Fuel Division in Lynchburg.

Babcock — Wilcox and its subsidiaries design, manufacture and market steam generating and associated equipment; steel tubular products; refractories; and automated machine tools. B&W's annual shipments exceed $1.5 billion.

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The main project for the coming year will be to grade

BIRTHDAYS

David Price	Jan. 7
Curtis Price	Jan. 10
Robert Michael Page	Jan. 30

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Conner and Junior spent Christmas in Roanoke with her great grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Anne Puckett and Mrs. Odell Bradley.

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Mr. and Mrs. Rob Honeycutt have returned home after spending several days with relatives in North Carolina.

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J. Lloyd Hudson entered Virginia Baptist Hospital Tuesday for tests.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vaughan and son, Bill, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. Mel Coleman and family in Farmville.

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Mrs. Bob Montgomery of Annandale and Mrs. Eddie Barron of Arlington returned to their homes Wednesday after spending several days with their mothers, Mrs. Gladys Johnson and Mrs. Lougenia Doss.

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Visiting in the home of Mrs. Alma C. Almond were the following: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Almond, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Almond of Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cyrus and LaDonna of Virginia Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Almond & family, Sharon, Karen, and Ervin Jr. of North Carolina, Mr. Wayne Cyrus of Roanoke and Mrs. Donna Cyrus of Roanoke and Mr. and Mrs. William Dale of Roanoke.

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Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fraley Jr. during the Christmas holidays were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Fraley Sr., his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Peaches and family, all of Richmond, and Larry Bowers and Ms. Peggy Ferrell of Narrows, Virginia.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harris and daughter, Nancy Jane, and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Harris, all of Chesapeake visited Mrs. Rachel Cawthorne and Mr. Ed Cawthorne and son, J. E., over the Christmas holidays. Mrs. Harris remained here for a longer visit with her mother, Mrs. Cawthorne.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Edwards and sons, Wayne and Kenneth of Franklin spent the Christmas holiday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Harvey.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bishop and son Joe of Richmond were guests during the Christmas holiday of her mother, Mrs. W. C. Paulette.

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Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce H. Paulette on Sunday were Mrs. Ann Wells, and children Mickey and Tammy; Mr. and Mrs. Dan Edwards and Kenneth and Wayne and Mrs. Frances H. Paulette.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mott and Jennifer visited in the home of Mrs. W. C. Paulette on Monday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Danny Hackett and son Dave spent Christmas Eve night in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. David Paulette, Bonnie and Phil.

Mrs. Edna C. Anderson has returned home from the Lynchburg General Hospital after receiving treatment.

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Mr. and Mrs. Herman Puckett and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Knight were guests of Mrs. Ann Puckett and Mrs. Odell Bradley.

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Mrs. George Kress is happy to announce the arrival of a new grandson, Matthew Thomas, born Dec. 19th, weighing 8 lbs. 3 ozs. Mr. and Mrs. George Guido, Jr. of Pacifica, California are the proud parents.

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Mr. and Mrs. Luther Farinholt, Jr. of Lynchburg spent Friday with her mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. George Kress of Hixburg.

Others visiting in the same home Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Goin, Mr. and Mrs. Wade Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dickerson and their families. Also Mr. and Mrs. Leon Goin and Scott and Lori, Mr. and Mrs. John Lucas of Richmond, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Goin, Mr. Joe Goin and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Goin and Lesley.

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Mr. Talmage Harris is improving at his home in Manakin, Va.

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dickerson, Matt, Mark and Anna were dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dickerson of Farmville.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wade Adams, Cheryl and Gina enjoyed Christmas dinner with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Adams of Pamplin.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Kress, Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Goin were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Adams and girls on Sunday.

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Parents Learn More About Parenthood

CHESAPEAKE - Many parents of pre-school age children apparently want to learn more about how to be better parents.

Their requests for child rearing advice and information from Extension agents here have led to classes on child rearing during the past two years.

The first series of four child development classes was started early in 1975 by agents and Expanded Food and Nutrition Education Program (EFNEP) technicians.

Mrs. Betsy Schenck, Extension specialist in child development at Virginia State College, Petersburg, helped Extension agents, Mrs. Mildred A. Brady and Mrs. Vera B. Keeble to plan and teach these classes. A child development specialist at the Chesapeake Public Library also assisted in planning.

Mrs. Brady said that participants' response led to the series being offered twice last year and they plan to offer a similar program this spring.

"They were a highly motivated group. They came seeking information, asked many questions and wanted to discuss their child rearing practices," Mrs. Brady added.

Not only parents have benefitted from the classes, but children as well. While the parents were in child rearing sessions held at the library, their children participated in play and learning activities in another room. EFNEP technicians, the childrens' librarian and volunteers supervised the kids in nutrition nursery rhymes, coloring food pictures, story telling, active games, movies and snacks.

GLADSTONE

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Carter and Kimberly on Christmas eve were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Lee of Oklahoma City, Mrs. B. M. Jones of Lynchburg. Other visitors during the week were Mrs. Emmett Austin of Lynchburg and Miss Nadine Bugg of Appomattox.

Mr. and Mrs. Burke Smoot spent Christmas day in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Mildred Johnson in Clifton Forge.

Mrs. Stella Moore is a patient in the Medical Center. We hope she may soon be home.

Mr. Frank Hughes has returned home from the hospital. So glad he is home. Hope he will continue to improve.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Harris were dinner guests in the home of their daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McDearmon on Christmas Day.

So glad to hear Mr. Sam Thornhill has returned home from the hospital. Hope he will continue to improve.

Visitors over the holiday in the home of Mrs. Ruby Hansen were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Ouse from Rothsay, Minnesota.

Dinner guests last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Carter were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anderson of Andersonville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spiggle and Ronnie visited Mrs. Augusta Graham of Scottsville on Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Moore and Vicki were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuhls, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Peyton all from Culpeper, Mrs. Jane Fryo Curtis and Douglas from Harrisonburg and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Harvey and Martha Lee from Cullen.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Belle Mundy and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Cyrus over the holidays were Mr. Dick Mundy and Wayne from Baltimore, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Watts, Kathy, Joey and Clarence from Manassas and Mr. and Mrs. Duane Carmody and daughter from Nokesville.

More visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Spiggle on Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brown from Roanoke, Mrs. Darlene Raybon from Florida, Miss Vivian Brown from White Plains, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Willis Pillow, Pam and Barry from Stephen City, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Snyder and Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Snyder and Amy, Mrs. Julia Brown all from Lynchburg, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Spiggle, Teri and Paul Wade, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Granato all from Appomattox.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Jobe on Sunday were Mrs. Minnie Lyttle of Amherst, and Mr. Richard Givens and friend from Newport News.

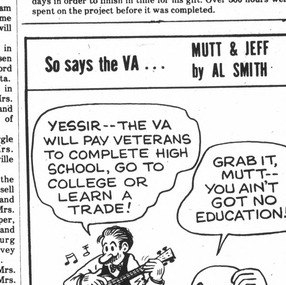
What A Christmas Gift!

Wow, what a Christmas gift! You would really have to see it to appreciate its true beauty and value but Mary Helen McLaughlin is really pleased with her gift from her grandfather, a hand-made dollhouse complete with furniture.

Mary Helen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McLaughlin of Appomattox.

The doll house and furniture was made by her grandfather, Mr. Charles E. McLaughlin of Pamplin. He began work on this gift in October and spent eight to fourteen hours a day on some days in order to finish in time for his gift. Over 500 hours were spent on the project before it was completed.

So says the VA . . . MUTT & JEFF by AL SMITH



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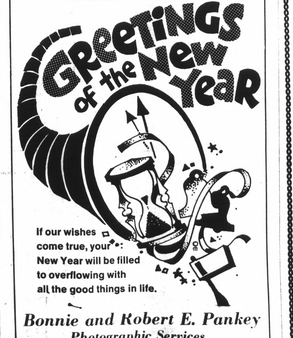
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